



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

January 12, 2012

Ordinance

Proposed No. 2012-0035.1

Sponsors Phillips

1 AN ORDINANCE authorizing the King County executive
2 to execute an interlocal agreement with the Muckleshoot
3 Indian Tribe for the transfer of King County roads located
4 on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation.

5 STATEMENT OF FACTS:

- 6 1. The Interlocal Cooperation Act, chapter 39.34 RCW, authorizes the
7 county to enter into agreements with other units of government, including
8 Indian tribes, to jointly exercise their existing powers and authority.
- 9 2. The Muckleshoot Indian Tribe ("the tribe") is a federally recognized
10 Indian tribe occupying the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation ("the
11 reservation") located in King and Pierce counties.
- 12 3. King County owns portions of 164th Avenue Southeast, Southeast
13 172nd Avenue and 392nd Street Southeast on one side of the centerline of
14 these roads on the Reservation in unincorporated King County.
- 15 4. The Bureau of Indian Affairs ("the bureau") also owns portions of
16 164th Avenue Southeast, Southeast 172nd Avenue and 392nd Street
17 Southeast on the other side of the centerline of these roads on the
18 reservation.

19 5. The above-referenced portions of 164th Avenue Southeast, Southeast
20 172nd Avenue and 392nd Street Southeast are currently part of the King
21 County road system and the bureau's Indian Reservation Roads Program.

22 6. The tribe desires to improve and maintain these portions of 164th
23 Avenue Southeast, Southeast 172nd Avenue and 392nd Street Southeast in
24 order to better service the Muckleshoot Tribal Administrative Complex
25 and Health and Wellness Center.

26 7. In order to facilitate the tribe's desire to improve and maintain these
27 roads, the county agrees that it would be advantageous for the ownership
28 of the road segments to be consolidated in the bureau and the tribe.

29 8. The Intergovernmental Property Transfer Act, chapter 39.33 RCW,
30 allows the county to transfer real property on such terms and conditions as
31 may be mutually agreed on by the county and the tribe.

32 9. It is in the public's interest to transfer the portions of 164th Avenue
33 Southeast, Southeast 172nd Avenue and 392nd Street Southeast, as
34 described in Attachment A to this ordinance, to the tribe.

35 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

36 SECTION 1. The King County executive is hereby authorized to execute an
37 interlocal agreement, substantially in the form of Attachment A to this ordinance, with

38 the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe for the transfer of county roads located on the Muckleshoot
39 Indian Reservation.

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KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Larry Gossett, Chair

ATTEST:

Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this ____ day of _____, ____.

Dow Constantine, County Executive

Attachments: A. Interlocal Agreement Between King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe
Relating to Transfer of County Roads Located on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation